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**MAR 31 2006**

In re Application of: Seifert et al.  
For: MEDICAL ELECTRICAL LEAD ANCHORING  
Serial No.: 10/637,160  
Filed: August 8, 2003  
Docket No.: P11309.00

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR §1.6. I hereby certify that the paper(s)  
(10 total) as described herein are being sent to telefacsimile No. (571) 273-8300,  
MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on March 31, 2006.

  
Signature

MOLLY MCCLELLAN  
Printed Name

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:


X AMENDMENT

☐ Applicant requests a \_\_\_\_-month extension of time to respond to the \_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_  
from \_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_.

☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2546 \$ \_\_\_\_ for extension of time and \$ \_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_ for a  
TOTAL OF \$ \_\_\_\_ .00. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies, and credit any  
overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required,  
please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently  
overlooked the need for an extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any  
deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

March 31, 2006  
Date

  
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Applicant:	Kevin R. Seifert	Examiner:	Mark Bockelman
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed January 3, 2006, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on April 3, 2006. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.